



YOUR SLIP IS SHOWING—was the remark which caused this registered mirth on the faces of the seven Miss Torrance contestants and chairman in charge of the contest at the kick-off breakfast last Saturday morning of the 1951 Miss Torrance contest. The breakfast was held at the home of Mrs. H. C. Barrington, 2368 Torrance Blvd. Top row, left to right, are: Dona Fuller, Alice Gargalis, Pat Merola, Dorothy Sandstrom, and Zola Bellwood; bottom row, left to right: Shirley York, Miss Mary Schultz Junior Womens club chairman of the 1951 contest; Mrs. Charlotte Lukes, YWCA chairman in charge of receiving funds; and Sandy Gulbransen.

Seven To Vie For Miss Torrance Title

With seven promising contestants in the race for the Miss Torrance of 1951 title, for this YWCA fund-raising event was held at a breakfast honoring the girls last Saturday morning at the home of Mrs. H. C. Barrington, 2368 Torrance Boulevard. Coronation will be held in about two months. Date has not as yet been set.

Sponsored by the Junior Women's Club to raise funds for the YWCA building, this is the sixth consecutive year in which the contest has been held, according to Miss Mary Schultz, chairman of the 1951 contest.

Competing for the Miss Torrance of 1951 title are: Zola Bellwood, 17; Dona Fuller, 16; Alice Gargalis, 17; Sandy Gulbransen, 16; Pat Merola, 17; Dorothy Sandstrom, 24; and Shirley York, 16.

The Juniors have raised \$11,000 in the five years since they started this annual event. With \$16,000 more needed to complete the YWCA building now under construction at Plaza del Amo and Carson St., the club hopes

Miss Torrance Vote Results

Results as of Feb. 17, the first week of the Miss Torrance of 1951 contest have been released. Here are the vote tallies: Zola Bellwood, 6056; Sandy Gulbransen, 3572; Pat Merola, 3071; Dorothy Sandstrom, 2100; Dona Fuller, 1650; Shirley York, 1310, and Alice Gargalis, 0.

Included in the tallies are the 1000 point bonus for the one with the most points, a 750 point bonus for the second highest and a 500 vote bonus for the third highest.

Mrs. C. E. Wallace, ticket chairman; Mrs. C. A. Smith, vote chairman; Mrs. J. A. Barrington, coronation chairman; Mrs. John Kemp, photos, crown, cup and scepter chairman; Mrs. D. J. Skidmore, "Thank You" chairman; and Mrs. John V. Agapito, co-chairman.

YWCA chairman in charge of receiving funds raised by the event is Mrs. Charlotte Lukes.

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The first session of the Gardena Dairy Farm School has proven that the dairy industry workers have been anxiously awaiting this course. It was manifested by the interest and enthusiasm displayed by the "students."

The chairman of the committee, Ben Cluff of Cluff Dairy, is confident that at the next session, February 23, 1951, there will be a still greater number attending.

At that session the subjects for presentation will be "Artificial Insemination" and "Sales Versus Surplus," preceded by an interesting film. The speakers on these subjects are highly qualified men in their respective fields.

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DOLLAR DAYS

Oil Derricks

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Residents themselves asked that the derricks be removed, in a concerted action.

Oil men seemed willing to cooperate, the city fathers failed to recognize the seriousness of the situation, it appeared.

C. T. Rippey said that his firm is removing several derricks.

Here is what three residents told the Press:

Mrs. C. E. Beavers, 2122 Middlebrook Road: "We would rather have those derricks down. There is one pretty close to our home. During the last storm I went across the street. I was afraid to stay in the house because of it."

Mrs. Albert VanNieuwenhuysse, 2050 Middlebrook Road, "I would prefer the derricks were down. The looks of them don't bother me much, but I think they're a danger in a storm."

Mrs. H. L. Perkins, 2407 Border Ave., "I have always thought that the derricks were unsightly and would prefer they were taken down, especially since those fell in the last storm."

Injured Woman

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4605 Venice Blvd., passengers in the same auto.

Marine Capt. Thomas B. Sawyer, 38, of 821 S. Pacific Ave., San Pedro, also was seriously hurt. He was riding with Marine 1st Lt. David N. Verry, 23, of Gardena, who escaped with minor injuries. Both officers are stationed at Camp Pendleton. They were taken to service hospitals.

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